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COUNCILMEMBER FRYE TO RECOMMEND ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR NEW DEVELOPMENTS

Goal is to ensure that basic city services, such as police and fire, are provided

WHO: Councilmember Donna Frye

WHEN: Wednesday, January 19, 2005, at 2 p.m.

WHERE: City Hall, 202 C Street, 12th floor

WHAT: Councilmember Frye will recommend more stringent thresholds for

determining when a development project will have a significant impact on the environment and, therefore, require mitigation. In the City of San Diego, which already faces more than \$530 million in unfunded needs for basic city services, every new development project creates impacts that can potentially increase these unfunded needs. In the most serious cases, new development projects may prevent fire and police from adequately responding to emergency needs. Councilmember Frye will be recommending updates to the thresholds to ensure that fire and police, as well as other basic services like parks, traffic and libraries, will be sufficiently supplied

and managed.